

June 3, 1993

LB 152, 360, 360A, 365, 377, 377A, 420, 420A
453, 453A, 505

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 453 passes. We'll go to LB 453A.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read LB 453A on Final Reading.)

SPEAKER BAACK: All provisions of law relative to procedure having been complied with, the question is, shall LB 453A pass? All those in favor vote aye, oppose^d vote no. Have you all voted? Have you all voted? Record, Mr. Clerk.

ASSISTANT CLERK: (Read record vote as found on page 2761 of the Legislative Journal.) The vote is 44 ayes, 0 nays, 3 present and not voting, 2 excused and not voting.

SPEAKER BAACK: LB 453A passes. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign LB 360, LB 360A, LB 365, LB 377, LB 377A, LB 420 and LB 420A. Mr. Clerk, LB 505 with the emergency clause.

ASSISTANT CLERK: Mr. President, I have a motion on the desk. Senator Moore would move to return the bill to Select File for a specific amendment, that being to strike the enacting clause.

SPEAKER BAACK: Senator Moore.

SENATOR MOORE: Mr. Speaker and members, I filed this motion on LB 505 and would like the body to take just a little bit of time to talk about it and think about LB 505 and LB 152. I guess my concern is that through the years there often comes an issue that hits the hot button, hits the button that attracts people, it lets...everybody runs toward and says we want to spend money on it and it's one of those things that like motherhood and apple pie you can't say no to. I guess my concern with 505 and 152 and other programs is that we're talking about a significant amount of money but the question will return at a time when there is other, as we already talked about, painful cuts we've already made. And also my concern is how many different directions, how many different people, how many different entities are going to be in the game of trying to assist rural health? And as I stand up, I mean I'm not a Lincoln or Omaha person standing up and saying this. I'm somebody affected by rural health to some degree but not as much as others, obviously. But, you know, my concern is that we've started programs in the Department of Health, we're adding things on which are true end runs through the university process, and everything in 505 and 152 we share the wealth with